

### **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

The Applicants originally submitted Claims 1-21 in the application. The application was allowed but prosecution was re-opened on Claims 1-21 based on the assertion that Claims 1-21 are directed to non-statutory subject matter. In response, the Applicants have amended independent Claims 1, 8 and 15. The Applicants have not added or canceled any claims. Accordingly, Claims 1-21 are currently pending in the application.

#### **I. Rejection of Claims 1-21 under 35 U.S.C. §101**

The Examiner has rejected Claims 1-21 under 35 U.S.C. §101 asserting the Claims are not directed to statutory subject matter. To expedite issuance, the Applicants have amended independent Claims 1, 8 and 15 to more clearly comply with 35 U.S.C. §101. As such, the Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to withdraw the §101 rejection and allow issuance of Claims 1-21.


## **II. Conclusion**

In view of the foregoing amendment and remarks, the Applicants see all of the Claims currently pending in this application to be in condition for allowance and therefore earnestly solicit a Notice of Allowance for Claims 1-21.

The Applicants request the Examiner to telephone the undersigned attorney of record at (972) 480-8800 if such would further or expedite the prosecution of the present application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees, credits or overpayments to Deposit Account 08-2395.

Respectfully submitted,

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